

students

Dawson Wicker
Summit, MS
Tyler Wilbert
Vicksburg, MS
Branton Wilkinson
Summit, MS
Hannah Wilkinson
McComb, MS
Jaleen Wilkinson
McComb, MS



Dalton Williams
Osyka, Ms
Grace Williams
Brookhaven, MS
Meoshia Williams
Tylertown, MS
T'Kiah Williams
Magnolia, MS
Timothy Williams
LaPlace, LA



Paul Willingham
Summit, MS
Enjoli Wilson
Summit, MS
Joneil Wilson
Tylertown, MS
Julian Wilson
Tylertown, MS
Layla Wilson
Diberville, MS



Virginia Wilson
Meadville, MS
Justin Windham
Gloster, MS
Morgan Windham
McComb, MS
De'Coreyia Woodall
Summit, MS
Cornell Woodard
McComb, MS



Robin Woodard
Mount Hermon, LA
Mariyana Woods
Tylertown, MS
Shelby Woodworth
McComb, MS
Chance Wroten
Smithdale, MS
Gabriel Young
McComb, MS



Breanna Zeringue
Walker, LA





daniel espinosa

Daniel Espinosa, son of Alexander Espinosa and Patricia Tellez, was a political science major and a member of the tennis team. As an international student, he was originally from Bogotá, Colombia, and attended high school at Colegio Virtual Siglo XXI. When he was five years old, Daniel fell in love with tennis after being influenced by his older brother's constant playing. It was not long before he found himself as a member of the Bears tennis team in southern Mississippi.

Espinosa traveled from his home in Colombia to play tennis for the Bears. Daniel soon made himself at home in the dorms and became acquainted with his fellow players and classmates. Going from South America to southern Mississippi was a change in culture for Daniel. Bogotá was a city with a population of over eight million people opposed to less than two thousand people in Summit. Daniel was used to having his favorite things, such as the cinema, only five minutes away from his home. Living in southern Mississippi meant having to travel an hour away to see a movie. However, Espinosa remarked that Southerners were very kind, and the people at Southwest were especially welcoming.

After graduating from community college, Daniel planned to attend a university on a tennis scholarship to continue his education and further his playing experience. Some of his favorite things to do were to hang out with friends, play video games, and practice tennis. One of his favorite southern foods was Cajun, and his favorite music to listen to was reggaeton. Daniel spoke two languages, English and Spanish.

by Madison VanNess

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I thank Southwest for giving me the opportunity to play tennis for the college. I really like it here.

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- Daniel Espinosa